

PETITION

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To: Prime Minister and Leader of Government Business in the Parliament of Uganda,
Rt. Hon. Amama Mbabazi, Office of the Prime Minister, P.O. Box 341, Kampala, Uganda,
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« HUMAN RIGHT IN DANGER. STOP LGBT-DISCRIMINATION »

Honorable Prime Minister,

I am writing to express concern about the Anti-Homosexual Bill in Uganda and I am calling on you to withdraw the Anti-Homosexual Bill - that was re-tabled in the Parliament of Uganda on 7 February 2012 - and to protect the universal human rights embodied in the Ugandan constitution.

The bill would violate the principle of non-discrimination and would lead to violations of the human rights to freedom of expression, freedom of thought, freedom of peaceful assembly, freedom of association, liberty and security of the person, privacy, the highest attainable standard of health, and life.

These rights are guaranteed under Uganda's Constitution and in international and regional treaties to which Uganda is a party, including the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, and the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights.

I urge you hereby, to stop this bill and bring human rights back to the agenda of the parliament.

Thank you in advance for your efforts and your intervention.

Yours Sincerely

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Copies of this letter to:

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Deutsch: Das neue ugandische Parlament diskutiert ein weiteres Mal über eine Gesetzesvorlage, welche die Diskriminierung von homosexuellen Lebensformen institutionalisieren würde. Eine erste Fassung der Vorlage sah für «schwerwiegende Homosexualität» die Todesstrafe vor; dieselbe Strafe hätten Leute zu gewärtigen, die ihnen bekannte Fälle von Homosexualität, nicht den Behörden melden würden.

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